

Oaks Christian Church (Disciples of Christ)

Oaks Notes



Acorns on the Ground

Memorial Day

Memorial Day is this Sunday, May 30, 2010 and we will actually commemorate the Holiday on May 31. Memorial Day is the day that is set aside each year to remember our war dead. It is also a day when we remember all those who have gone on before us to be with the Lord. I would like to share with you a poem by C.W. Johnson entitled "Memorial Day".



Memorial Day

We walked among the crosses
Where our fallen soldiers lay.
And listened to the bugle
As TAPS began to play.
The Chaplain led a prayer
We stood with heads bowed low
And I thought of fallen comrades
I had known so long ago.
They came from every city
Across this fertile land.
That we might live in freedom.
They lie here 'neath the sand.
I felt a little guilty
My sacrifice was small.
I only lost a little time
But these men lost their all.
Now the services are over
For this Memorial Day.
To the names upon these crosses
I just want to say,
Thanks for what you've given
No one could ask for more.
May you rest with God in heaven
From now though evermore.
by - C.W. Johnson

Have a wonderful and
blessed Memorial Day.

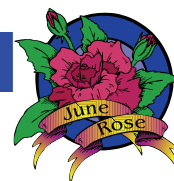
Randy Burke



Oaks Christian Church is a family church that loves to share God's word, God's Love, and God's fellowship with the world. We are a church in the near inner loop that strives to be a helpful part of the community. We are about Deep Christian spirituality, a true community and a passion for Justice. We celebrate communion every Sunday service and all who believe are welcome to receive.

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OAKS CHRISTIAN CALENDAR OF EVENTS FOR JUNE 2010

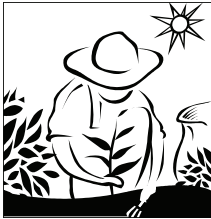
Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
Sunday School begins at 9:30 a.m. and Morning Worship 10:45 a.m.	 Pastor Randy Burke's Phone #'s 832.729.1598 - Cell 713.983.0717 - Home	1 CWF - Covered Dish 6:00 p.m.	2	3 Pastor's Bible Study Returns in Fall 	4 Church Office Closed	5
6  Bread Sunday GRADUATION SUNDAY	7 <div style="border: 1px solid blue; padding: 5px; text-align: center;"> <i>Jimmy & Marion Dixon & Glenn & Jill Doremus</i> </div>	8 Prayer Circle 9:30 a.m. CWF - Returns in the Fall.	9  Choir Rehearsal No Hand Bells	10 Pastor's Bible Study Returns in Fall 	11 Church Office Closed	12
13 Terry's Crafters 	14	15 PRAYER CIRCLE 9:30 a.m. CWF - Returns in the Fall.	16  Choir Rehearsal No Hand Bells <div style="border: 1px solid blue; padding: 5px; text-align: center;"> <i>Don & Pat Whitley & Gene & Agnes Pratt</i> </div>	17 Pastor's Bible Study Returns in Fall 	18 Church Office Closed <div style="border: 1px solid blue; padding: 5px; text-align: center;"> <i>Jonathan & Kandi Burke</i> </div>	19 <div style="border: 1px solid blue; padding: 5px; text-align: center;"> <i>Randy & Cheryl Burke</i> </div>
20 JUNETEENTH SUNDAY  Father's Day	21	22 CWF - Returns in the Fall.	23  Choir Rehearsal No Hand Bells	24 Pastor's Bible Study Returns in Fall 	25 Church Office Closed	26 <div style="border: 1px solid blue; padding: 5px; text-align: center;"> <i>Joan & Robert Roberts & Ray and Joann Winner</i> </div>
27 <div style="border: 1px solid blue; padding: 5px; text-align: center;"> <i>Happy Birthday Cheryl Burke</i> </div>  Terry's Crafters	28	29 CWF - Returns in the Fall.	30  Choir Rehearsal No Hand Bells	<div style="background-color: yellow; text-align: center; padding: 10px;"> PLEASE NOTE NO BOARD MTG. NO EXECUTIVE MTG. </div>	June Birthdays 02 - Bob Simons, Glen Slaven 14 - JoNell Hajovsky 17 - Charlotte Leissner 18 - Alex Pena, Jackie Rogers 19 - Norman Dorsey 20 - Destini Conover, Jacob Pena, Laura Aya 22 - Tatum Scantlin 23 - Michael H. Rasco	

If you have something for the calendar, or if we missed your birthday or anniversary, please let the Church Office know.

Announcements, Thank you, Do You Know, Nurturing Updates



**Shipman's Have a
New Grandbaby!
Kellen Palmer Marange
Born, May 22, 2010**



**YARD WORK
Volunteers Needed
Every Wednesday
Contact: Imogene Flott
or Dorene Drake.**

FOR SALE

**Oaks Church has two burial spaces for sale.
They are located at
Brookside Cemetery, Houston.
These are side by side space 3 and 4 in
"Masters Lawn".
Price is \$2,000 each. Negotiable.
Contact Homer Greene for more information at
832.237.3171.**

CWF -

The CWF assembled and mailed 22 hygiene kits to Church World Service. Thanks to all who participated.

Heartfelt Thanks!

I really, really, appreciate all the prayers, get well cards and phone calls from my church family as I was recovering from my dislocated shoulder.
God Bless You all.

Rita Brooks



**DO YOU KNOW — (NEXT NEWSLETTER)
MEMBERSHIP COMMITTEE**

Nurturing Circle Updates - May

5/10/10 - Dani Bara, daughter of Pat Scruggs having back issues. Had an MRI today and awaiting results. PRAYERS

Rita Brooks recovering from dislocated shoulder & pending colon surgery. PRAYERS

5/12/10 - Encouragement for Rita Brooks being unable to drive & home bond. CARDS

5/13/10 - Susan Parker has kidney problems. One kidney has 5% function. Surgery possible. PRAYERS OF STRENGTH

Eddie McClanahan has stage 3 lung cancer. Step brother of a client of Anne Hudson. PRAYERS

5/17/10 - Al Heger, friend of Anne Hudson, had throat surgery & not doing well. Constant pain & can't swallow liquids.

5/18/10 - Jon Mizula's parents, Shirley and Joe.

Bob Moss, brother-in-law of Betty Sullivan had a heart attack. Having a stint put in and in pretty bad shape.



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Bound Together in Love



FOOD NEEDED FOR MANNA'S PANTRY

**For more information
Contact**

**Billie Murray
(281) 448-1667**

Items Needed:

Toothpaste, washing powder, shampoo, deodorant, baby diapers, sugar, flour and can goods.

**Open Mon, Tues and
Thurs 9:30 a.m. –
11:30pm.**



Prayer Circle

Every Second Tuesday of the Month
9:30 a.m. - 10:00 a.m. in Kirchner Hall.

Everyone Welcome!

*Don't worry about anything, but pray about everything. With thankful hearts offer up your prayers and requests to God.
Philippians 4:6*

Board Happenings - Albert Green, Board Chair -
**Friendly Reminder: There will not be an Executive
Board Meeting or General Board Meeting for the month
of June.**

Thank you.

Photos of Dinner Theater with Ivory Touch - May 14, 2010



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